DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY Vacancy Announcement Number: NEGE11105858

Opening Date: June 29, 2011 Closing Date: July 12, 2011

Position: Machinist, WG-3414-12 **Salary:** \$27.98 - \$32.66 Hourly

Place of Work: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Baltimore, Washington Aqueduct

Division, Maintenance Branch, Machine Shop

Duty Station: Washington, DC

Position Status: This is a permanent position. -- Full Time

Number of Vacancy: 1

Duties: You will perform a variety of machinist and equipment maintenance and repair duties inside and outside the Machine shop that require background experience in each of the metal working trades in order to complete multiphase projects requiring inspection, dismantling, repair, fabrication, replacement, and re-assembly of mechanical equipment including chemical feed machines and conveying equipment, water supply filter and pump mechanisms, gates, valves, screens, ventilating, and exhaust systems. Maintenance and repair functions are complicated by the necessity to manufacture almost all parts and the continuing operation of equipment to ensure dependable water supply and treatment systems.

About the Position: This position is located at the Dalecarlia Water Treatment Plant, 5900 MacArthur Boulevard NW, Washington, DC. This position is under the supervision of the Washington Aqueduct. The Aqueduct, while part of the US Army Corps of Engineers, is a large scale, vital public utility, wholly financed through the sale of potable water. The job provides the opportunity to work at one of the largest water utilities in the nation, serving the public and producing a product which impacts the lives of all metropolitan area citizens and businesses on a daily basis. To be successful in this position, you will need to commit yourself to the Aqueduct's mission of providing safe, reliable and cost effective water.

Who May Apply:

- Department of Defense employees serving on a Career or Career Conditional Appointment.
- Current Army employees with competitive status (includes Army employees serving on a career or career-conditional appointment).
- Reinstatement eligibles.
- NAF/AAFES Interchange Agreement eligibles.

- Applicants eligible under Veterans Employment Opportunities Act of 1998 (VEOA)
- Interagency Career Transition Assistance Plan (ICTAP) eligibles.
- Family member employees eligible under Executive Order 12721.
- DoD Interchange Agreement eligibles.
- Military spouses eligible under EO 13473.

Qualifications:

Trade and Labor

Candidates will be evaluated on their ability to perform the duties of a Machinist, rather than length of experience. Eligibility will be determined by the relevance, scope, and quality of all experience and training, regardless of where or how acquired. The items below should be addressed within the context of the resume.

- 1. Ability to do the work of the position without more than normal supervision. (SCREEN-OUT ELEMENT)
- 2. Operation of machine tools.
- 3. Knowledge of technical practices.
- 4. Ability to use shop drawings.
- 5. Measurement and layout.
- 6. Ability to use hand tools for machine shop.
- 7. Knowledge of metals.

KSAs are not used. Applicants will be rated against Resumix Job Search Criteria which is chosen by the selecting official.

PHYSICAL EFFORT: Frequently handles objects weighing 45 pounds and occasionally carries objects weighing over 45 pounds. Works in cramped positions for sustained periods of time. Work requires pushing, pulling, reaching, walking, standing, stooping, crawling, kneeling and bending.

WORKING CONDITIONS: Work is performed both inside and outside shop facilities. Works on roofs, ladders and scaffolding. Employee is subject to injury through falls, frostbite, dampness, extreme dirt, and possible drowning while working in cramped, extremely tight, or deep waterless pits. Shop work is subject to hazards of burns from hot metal chips, dust in the lungs, cuts, bruises, injuries to hands from use of machine and hand tools, skin irritation from contact with coolants, lubricants, acids, and chemicals.

RELATED INFORMATION:

You may be required to wear respirators (to include tight-fitting type) and respiratory escape hood. You must be able to wear protective safety equipment, such as but not limited to safety shoes, safety glasses, hardhat, safety harness, etc.

Emergency and scheduled after hour work may be required.

The employee must be able to obtain and maintain certification to work in confined space.

Incumbent is required to have a valid drivers license.

Incumbent is required to obtain and maintain a non-critical sensitive clearance.

You must be able to work without fear in enclosed spaces and elevated heights. You must be physically able to readily access and exit manholes with diameters as small as 20 inches.

Possess and maintain the physical ability to lift and carry up to 45 pounds.

The experience described in your resume will be evaluated and screened for the Office of Personnel Management's basic qualifications requirements, and the skills needed to perform the duties of this position as described in this vacancy announcement.

Other Information:

- To successfully claim veteran's preference, your resume/supplemental data must clearly show your entitlement. Please review the information listed under the Other Requirements link on this announcement or review our on-line Job Application Kit.
- Selection is subject to restrictions resulting from Department of Defense referral system for displaced employees.
- The Department of Defense (DoD) policy on employment of annuitants will be used in determining eligibility of annuitants. The DoD policy is available on http://www.cpms.osd.mil/ASSETS/E8AB932EA1E44617BAC7222922E42A62/DoDI140025-V300.pdf
- Salary includes applicable locality pay or Local Market Supplement.
- In accordance with section 9902(h) of title 5, United States Code, annuitants reemployed in the Department of Defense shall receive full annuity and salary upon appointment. They shall not be eligible for retirement contributions, participation in the Thrift Savings Plan, or a supplemental or redetermined annuity for the reemployment period. Discontinued service retirement

annuitants (i.e., retired under section 8336(d)(1) or 8414(b)(1)(A) of title 5, United States Code) appointed to the Department of Defense may elect to be subject to retirement provisions of the new appointment as appropriate. (See DoD Instruction 1400.25, Volume 300, at http://www.dtic.mil/whs/directives.)

- Payment of Permanent Change of Station (PCS) costs is not authorized, based on a determination that a PCS move is not in the Government interest.
- Defense National Relocation Program will not be authorized.

Other Advantages: Ample free parking is provided on site. Limited public bus service is also available. Compressed work schedule 5/4 nine hour days.

Other Requirements:

- Must be able to obtain and maintain a Secret security clearance.
- Personnel security investigation required.
- A medical examination is required.
- You will be required to provide proof of U.S. Citizenship.
- License/Certification: Valid state driver's license is required.
- Male applicants born after December 31, 1959 must complete a Pre-Employment Certification Statement for Selective Service Registration.
- Direct Deposit of Pay is Required.
- Position requires employee to wear a uniform and/or protective clothing.
- Failure to provide all of the required information as stated in the vacancy announcement may result in an ineligible rating or may affect the overall rating.

HOW TO APPLY:

Resumes must be received by the closing date of this announcement.

If your resume is currently in our central database, you may click here to Self Nominate by going to the CPOL/CPOC Vacancy Announcement Board https://cpolwapp.belvior.army.mil/public/vabSelfNom/index.jsp, scroll down to the bottom of the page and key (or cut and paste) the announcement number into the Search - Announcement field , select the announcement and go to the bottom and click on SELF NOMINATE. The form will appear that you need to complete to submit your self nomination.

Self-nomination must be submitted by the closing date. Applicants wishing to withdraw from consideration may contact the Central Resume Processing Center at (410) 306-0137 or applicanthelp@conus.army.mil.

Resume must be on file in our centralized database.

Announcements close at 12:00 am (midnight) Eastern Time.

Click here to use the Army Resume Builder https://vabselfnom.cpol.army.mil/forward/VAB?id=rb> to create your resume.

Point of Contact:

Central Resume Processing Center, 410-306-0137, aplicanthelp@cpsrxtp.belvoir.army.mil

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Applicants will receive appropriate consideration without regard to non-merit factors such as race, color, religion, sex, national origin, marital status, sexual orientation except where specifically authorized by law, age, politics or disability which do not relate to successful performance of the duties of this position. Otherwise qualified applicants with disabilities who need reasonable accommodation may notify the agency Point of Contact on this announcement of their need.

SELECTION FOR THIS POSITION IS SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS RESULTING FROM DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE REFERRAL SYSTEM FOR DISPLACED EMPLOYEES